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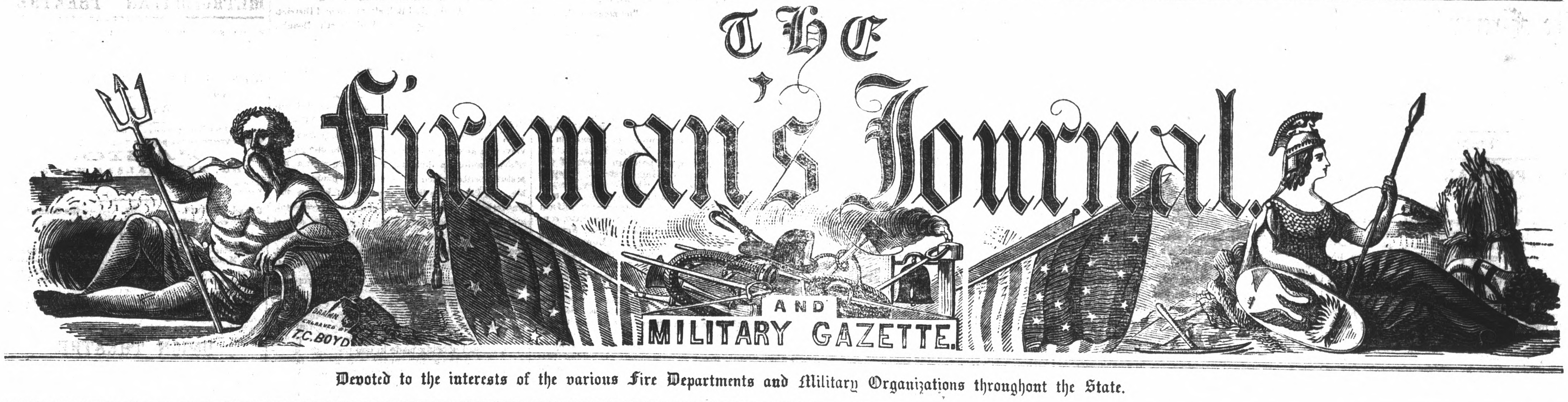

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## Reception and Visit of "Eureka Engine Company," No. 2, of Stockton.

In accordance with a previous arrangement "the Eureka Engine Company, No. 2," left Stockton, Thursday, the 3d inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M., on board the steamboat *Urilda*, on a visit to this City, as the guests of Howard Engine Company, No. 3,—Captain F. E. R. Whitney. At Stockton, they were escorted to the boat by almost the entire Fire Department, and left that city with the kind words and good feelings of their comrades. Owing to the wind and tide being against her, the *Urilda* naturally not being very fast, the "Eureka's" did not reach this City, before 1 o'clock in the morning of the 4th, at which time they were received by the largest body of firemen that has ever turned out for a similar purpose, in this City. At 7 o'clock, the latter met at their respective Engine and Truck houses, and at 9 o'clock, proceeded to the house of Howard 3, in California street, where the line of march to the boat was formed, under the direction of Chief Engineer Nuttman and Assistants Free, Capprice and Devoe. All things being in readiness, the procession started, preceded by a splendid band of music, and marched up California street to Montgomery, in the following order:

Howard Engine Company, No. 3, numbering 55 men, having a transparency with the words "faithful and fearless the enemy we conquer," the motto of the company, and on the other side, two hands joined, the figure 2 entwined with them, and around them "welcome to our friends Eureka 2 of Stockton." Nearly every man in 3's company carried a torch,

Empire Engine Company 1, with their apparatus, manned by 42 men, followed; then,

Manhattan 2, (headed by the band of music from Rowe and Smith's Circus) with their apparatus, and manned by 36 men on the engine, and 22 on the hose-carriage,

California 4 came next, the engine manned by 40 men, the hose-carriage by 10,

Knickerbocker 5, their engine and hose-carriage manned by about 50 men, followed,

also, Monumental 6, 80 men,

Volunteer 7, 60 men,

Nos. 8 and 9 combined, dragging the engine and hose-carriage of the latter, numbering altogether about 90 men,

No. 11 apparatus manned by 35 men,

Pennsylvania 12, 40 men,

Tiger 14, 38 men,

St. Francis H, & L. 1, 30 men,

Lafayette 2, 42 men,

and Sansome 3, 25 men.

From Montgomery street this long array of men in showy uniforms and dragging splendid apparatus passed up Montgomery to Jackson street, to Kearny, along Kearny to Washington, to Dupont, to Broadway, to Powell street, along Powell, to Union, to Stockton, to Clay street, countermarching to Washington, to Battery, to Pacific, to the Wharf. The streets through which the Department passed were crowded with people, witnessing the display. The glare of the torches, waving of banners, strains of beautiful music floating in the air, brilliancy of the dress of the men, and beauty of the apparatus, served to make up a scene seldom or ever witnessed in this City. The good order which prevailed, and the unity of feeling which characterised the members of the various Companies, was a subject of remark, and was an ample denial of the imputation that any sectional feeling existed in the Department, or that the high and enviable reputation it has enjoyed, was a fictitious one.

Upon the arrival of the Urilda, fireworks of every description were let off. Cheer after cheer rent the air, and a salute of 13 guns was fired by a detachment of the California Guard, under command of Lieut. Curtis. As soon as the steamer was made fast, Capt. Clark, Foreman of the Eureka's, was met by Capt. Whitney, of the Howard's, and welcomed to the city. A delegation of four men from each company was detailed as an escort to the engine of No. 2, which was speedily drawn from the deck of the steamer to the wharf. Howard 3 led the way, followed by the engine of No. 2, then the Eureka's, and after them the Department in rotation. From the commencement of the march from the wharf to the quarters provided for the Eureka's, we never saw so magnificent a display of fireworks of all kinds and descriptions. Every man of No. 3 was supplied with an illimitable quantity of Roman candles; and as fast as sixty or seventy would be consumed, there were others to take their place. The blaze of light lit up the heavens far and near, and was truly a brilliant spectacle.

Marching up Pacific street to Front, the Department and the Eureka's continued through Jackson street to Montgomery, to Bush, to Sansome, to Market, passing the house of California, 4—from whose bell a merry peal of welcome was rung—thence to Battery street to California, to the house of the Howard's—in front of which there was a large transparency running along the entire front, on which were inscribed, in large letters, the words, "Welcome, Eureka." The procession having halted, the engine of the Eureka's was immediately housed in the house of the Howard's, when three hearty cheers were given by them for the "housing," which was responded to by the Eureka's giving "three more" for the San Francisco firemen! Empire, 1 returning those cheers by giving "three more" for the Eureka's. The order being given, the procession again moved on to Sansome street, opposite the American Exchange—the Eureka's occupying one side of the street and the Howard's the other—the Department passing through the centre in review. After which, at a quarter before 3 o'clock A. M., the Eureka's, with their invited guests, and the officers of our own Department, were invited by Capt. Whitney to partake of an excellent collation in readiness for them in the Exchange, and to which "strict attention" was paid.

At 4 o'clock the Eureka's were escorted to the apartments prepared for them, and thus ended the first chapter in the most effective, brilliant, and satisfactory reception ever before accorded to any company heretofore visiting San Francisco. We must compliment the Chief and his assistants for the correct manner in which their arrangements for the parade were consummated, and must again express our satisfaction at witnessing the cordiality which pervaded every portion of the Department, from one to the other.

On yesterday, the "Fourth," after breakfast, the Eurekas' were escorted in parties of three and four, under escort of delegations from the Howards to different sections of the city, viewing the public buildings and other places of note. At 11½ o'clock the "Howards" and the "Eurekas" assembled at their respective head-quarters, and after forming into line, marched to California street, where opposite the Tehama House, the "Independent City Guard," Capt. John A. Clark, and "Wallace Guard," were drawn up to receive them, an escort having been tendered by Capt. Clark, to Capt. Whitney and his guests. After the customary salute had been gone through with, the military and their firemen friends proceeded through the principal streets of the city, saluting the different engine houses and being saluted in return, and reached the starting place at 1½ o'clock, when the military escort left them. The "Howards" and "Eurekas" continued their march through California street to Davis, to Sacramento, to Sansome, to Merchant, where at Capt. Whitneys quarters they halted. In passing "Fort Vigilance," those on duty, presented arms and were saluted in turn. As Capt. Whitney's refreshments were in readiness and were partaken of by those present. The companies then reformed, took up their line of march for the private residence of Mr. Samuel Kern, on Green street, near Kearny. On passing the office of this paper, on Merchant street, the "Howards" and their friends honored us with a salute and hearty cheers, for which are deeply grateful. At the residence of Mr. Kern a sumptuous entertainment was provided for the "Eurekas," the finest and most profuse that we have ever seen at a private house. After having been satisfied with the good things prepared for them, toasts were drank and sentiments given by the "Eurekas" and their escort, and after the bands of the "Howards" and "Eurekas," had played a beautiful piece in front of the house, the order was given to proceed to the house of Jesse Seligman, Esq., on Green street, near Powell, where courtesies of the most liberal nature were extended by Mr. S. and the ladies of his family to the "Eurekas" and those with them. From thence the "Howards" escorted their friends to the house of Vigilant Engine Co. No. 9, foreman, W. H. Bovee, where a neat, delicate, and liberal collation was spread for their visiting friends.

After the assemblage had come to order, Mr. W. T. Gough, of No. 9, welcomed the Eureka's, and the firemen of San Francisco, in a brief but eloquent speech, concluding by offering a sentiment in honor of the Eureka's, which was responded to by J. M. Vansycle, of the Pandolphin Co., of Stockton. Foreman Bovee, Captain Whitney, and others, made remarks which elicited considerable enthusiasm, and the Companies left the house of the Vigilants, giving and returning cheers.

About twenty men of the Vigilants were detailed, under command of Foreman Bovee, and Assistant Gough, to escort the Eureka's, in company with the Howards. They were in uniform, and taking their places on the rope of the Eureka's, formed a very handsome feature of the procession.

From Vigilant's house, Capt. Whitney, with his command, marched down to the Walton House, at the corner of Vallejo and Battery streets, where, in acceptance of an invitation from the proprietors of that house, they partook of refreshments. From the Walton House, the several companies and their friends proceeded to the house of California, No. 4—Wm. S. O'Brien, Foreman. At this house a very handsome collation was in readiness, to which the Eureka's and the San Francisco firemen were invited, in a brief and well-timed speech from Foreman O'Brien. Speeches were also made by a member of the company, W. T. Gough, of No. 9, J. M. Van Sycle, of Stockton, W. H. Bovee, of No. 9, Chief Engineer Colt, of Stockton, and others. After an interchange of cheers, the visiting companies retired from No. 4's house, and, accompanied by their friends, marched to the headquarters of the Eureka's, where they were dismissed until 8 o'clock in the evening, at which time they visited the American Theatre by invitation.

This morning, after breakfast, the Howard company, preceded by their band, escorted the officers of the Stockton Fire Department and the Eureka's—the latter with their engine—to the corner of Stockton and Broadway sts., where the Eureka's, manning their own engine, played through 100 feet of hose, 1-inch nozzle, 171 feet; repeating through the same nozzle 185 feet. The Eureka was then manned by members of Nos. 3, 6, and 9, of this city, and, under the same circumstances, threw 181 feet. After this exhibition of the working of the engine, the companies visited the house of the Monumental Engine Company, No. 6, where a table was spread, covered with every luxury.

Foreman Hossefross welcomed the Eureka's and their friends. Wine, wit, and sentiment in reality flowed at this entertainment, and the visit was a delightful one, and prolonged. Speeches were made by several of the Stockton and our own firemen, from several of the companies. The band having taken a position on the balcony in front of No. 6's house, performed several pieces, to the great satisfaction of the listeners. From the house of the Monumentals, after a short march, the Eureka's returned to the American Exchange. To-night at 8 o'clock a dinner will be given the Eureka's by the Howards at the American Exchange, to which the officers of the Fire Department, Foremen of the Companies, and members of the press have been invited. To-morrow morning the Eureka's with their escort will attend Rev. Dr. Scotts church, and in the afternoon unite with their brethren of this city, in attending the funeral of Capt. McDonald, a member of the St. Francis Hook and Ladder Company. On Monday the Eureka's will receive courtesies from several of the Companies, and will return to Stockton in the 4 o'clock boat of that day.

Before the next issue of our paper, the Eureka's will have returned to their home, in Stockton, to which, we wish them a safe and pleasant trip. We are gratified wtth the attention shown the Eureka's by the firemen of this City, although that feeling is paramount with us, when any opportunity is given to receive friends and brethren, but,—when attention is shown to a body of men, like the Stockton firemen, and the scenes through which we passed one year ago, in the City on the Slough, is brought to our recollection, our gratification is unbounded.

Like the great State from which the Eureka's take their name, they combine everything that is just, honorable, and courteous. The San Francisco firemen are delighted with the visit of the Eureka's, and sincerely hope it is a mutual sentiment. The Eureka's are noble representatives of the Fire Department of Stockton, and we trust that the sincere friendship which now binds the two Departments together will exist as long as light descends from Heaven.

On Saturday evening a magnificent dinner was given to the "Eureka's" by the "Howards," at the American Exchange, at which the two companies named, and a large number of invited guests, were present; the tables, four in number, extended the entire length of the room, and were most tastefully and appropriately decorated. Prior to the dinner, the participants met at the Howard Engine House, and after marching through several of the streets of the city, halted at the exchange, and entered in the following order: "Members of the Press," officers of the Stockton Fire Department, Second Assistant Engineer, and Secretary of the San Francisco Fire Department, "Invited guests from Stockton," Foremen of Engine Companies 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 13, and Hook and Ladder Companies 1 and 2, members of the Eurekas and Howards, the whole comprising two hundred and thirty persons. The dinner was a splendid one; gotten up with great liberality by the proprietor, Major Estabrook, and consisted of every delicacy procurable in our market. At a ½ past 8 o'clock the entire company was seated and presented an animated and handsome appearance. At the cross table to the right, Capt. F. E. R. Whitney presided, supported on his right by the Chief Engineer of Stockton, and members of the San Francisco Press, and to his left, Capt. W. B. Clark, Foreman of the Eureka Company, and the Second Assistant Engineer and Secretary of the San Francisco Fire Department. At the cross table to the left, Gen. H. Hossefross, Foreman of Monumental 6, presided, supported on his left by J. M. Vansycle, Foreman of "Pan Dolphin 1," of Stockton, and other gentlemen from that city; to his right Wm. S. O'Brien, Foreman of "California 4" of this city, and the Assistant Engineers of the Stockton Fire Department. After the quality of the luscious things prepared by the Major, had been fully tested, Capt. Whitney called the assemblage to order and said:

"That about one year ago, himself, in company with others of the San Francisco Fire Department, visited the city of Stockton, and then drank to the very bottom from a cup of pleasures, which words failed him properly to describe. It was not alone the firemen of Stockton who turned out to bid them welcome, but the whole town, men, women, and children, with each other, in rendering their stay pleasant and agreeable. It was for the purpose of testifying slightly to the Eureka's and the people of Stockton, that their kindness was appreciated by the Howards. The entertainment was not for the purpose of impressing the Eurekas, with the profuseness or extravagance of the Howards, but simply as an unostentatious tribute to that kindness and courtesy so universally extended by the Stockton firemen, to their brethern. Capt. Whitney said that he regretted to see that several prominent members of his own department, whom he had invited to be present, and unite in doing honor to his guests, were not present; that as far as he was concerned, he had no friends to reward or enemies to punish; as a fireman, he loved the San Francisco Fire Department, its members, and its attributes, and he could not conceal his regrets that certain seats at the festive board were vacant."

At the conclusion of Capt. Whitney's remarks, the champagne corks having commenced to pop with considerable activity, the glasses were filled, and the toast the "Eureka's" was received with deafening cheers. Chief Engineer Colt was called upon to respond, which he did briefly thanking the San Francisco Firemen for their attention.

The next toast was in honor of Captain W. B. Clark, Foreman of the Eureka's. Capt. C. excused himself from responding, on account of a loss of voice, that it was difficult for him to be heard ten feet from where he stood, and he therefore called upon Mr. Vansycle, Foreman of the Pan Dolphins to respond for him.

Mr. Vansycle answered the call made upon him, in a most eloquent manner. He alluded to the entire visit of the Eureka's, and the round of pleasure they and their friends had gone through; from their advent into the city, up to the present time, that the San Franciscans had run up a score against the Stockton boys, they would never be able to pay, and if any of the former were ever caught in the city, at the head of the slough, they would suffer for it. Mr. Vansycle spoke of the re-union which had taken place between Engine Companies 3, 6, and 9 of this city, and the part taken in so happy an event by the Stockton firemen. That under their eye a link had been formed, which he trusted was of a nature would bind those companies together, for all time. Mr. Vansycle continued to speak in a strain of brilliant oratory, and we regret that circumstances prevented our obtaining his remarks in full, and concluded amid the enthusiastic plaudits of those present.

Mr. Bovee, Foreman of Vigilant 9, being loudly call for, rose, and was greeted with tremendous cheering. He said that although he was not present when the re-union spoken of by Mr. Vansycle took place, and in fact it was but very lately that he had heard of it, that he endorsed it fully and in the most heartfelt manner. That it was his desire to see harmony prevail throughout the entire organization; that the little misunderstanding which existed between the companies named, had caused an estrangement which he regretted, and none felt more gratified than he did; that it had been amicably arranged, as well through the instrumentality of the Eureka's, as it was the wish of his company. Mr. Bovee said he considered the position he occupied as foreman of Vigilance 9, as one of great honor, in fact he desired no other in the department. After some other remarks, Mr. Bovee concluded by giving a sentiment complimentary to the Eureka's, to which Mr. Vansycle responded, and gave as a toast the following:—

The "*Fireman's Journal*," long may it wave in future, as it has for the past, in honor over the fire organizations of the State.

Mr. Boruck, the editor of the *Journal*, acknowledged the compliment, and toasted not as an editor, but as a fireman, the "Press of San Francisco."

Mr. Frank F. Fargo, of the *Alta California*, replied in some appropriate remarks and alluded to the fact that the little disagreements of the Department had been settled, gave as a sentiment.

The remarks of Mr. Fargo were listened to with a great deal of pleasure.

"The memory of Captain McDonald." Drank in silence and standing.

Mr. Hossefross, Foreman of No. 6, was then loudly called for, and he made his appearance, amid considerable enthusiasm. Mr. Hossefross said that for fear the firemen from Stockton might suppose that the difficulty to which allusion had been made, as existing between Nos. 6 and 9, was a "bloody war," he took the opportunity to place them right in the matter, by informing them that it was entirely a war of water, and not of blood. Mr. Hossefross then went on to state in detail the circumstances attending the trial of the fire engines, and the results arising from the same. That the officers of the respective companies were perfectly satisfied themselves with what had transpired, but the enthusiastic members of both companies construed matters different, and viewed what had transpired in a wrong light. He fully endorsed all that Mr. Bovee had said relative to the kindly adjustment of the difference which heretofore had arisen between their companies—and that he not only extend the right hand of friendship to Vigilant 9, but to every company composing the Department. Mr. Hossefross eulogised the Eureka's for the part they had played in the matter, and finished by offering an appropriate sentiment.

Mr. Whitney, Foreman of the Howard's, united with Messrs. Bovee and Hossefross, in their expressions of friendship and good feeling, sincerely trusting that the circumstances of the past would be forgotten, and that nothing would transpire to mar the brightness of the future.

Second Assistant Engineer, Capprice, being called upon, excused himself from speaking, but entertained the company by singing an "entirely new" Dutch song, which was uproariously received.

Mr. Weeks, the Secretary of the Stockton Department, proposed the health of Chief Engineer Nutman. In the absence of Mr. N., Mr. Boruck returned thanks for the honor.

Foreman O'Brien, of No. 4, Walsh, of No. 8, Hayes, of No. 13, and Worn, of H. and L. No. 1, were successively called upon and made some remarks, after which toasts, sentiments, songs, and witticisms were indulged in, when at ¼ before 11 o'clock Capt. Whitney gave notice that as the men were fatigued, and as they were to attend Dr. Scott's Church at an early hour in the morning, he would, after the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," take a short march through the city, and then return to his quarters for the night. Accordingly, at 11 o'clock, a procession was formed, and preceded by the American Brass Band (the very best in the city), marched through Sacramento street to Montgomery to Washington, to the residence of Mr. W. H. Silverthorn, near Powell street, where the Band serenaded, the ladies of his family, by one of whom a very beautiful bouquet was presented to Captain Clark. After the usual salute, the companies proceeded on their way, through Powell to Green st., and Stockton to Washington, to Kearny, to Clay, through Montgomery to Sacramento, to the American Exchange. Arriving there at ¼ before 12 o'clock, at which time the Howard's bid good nigh to their guests; and as the clock tolled the hour of 12, and gave warning that the dawn of a peaceful Sabbath was upon the city, not a sound was heard, where but one short hour previous, mirth and festivity reigned supreme.

On Sunday morning, at 9½ o'clock, the Eureka's and their escort, commenced assembling at their respective places of meeting, preparatory to attending Divine Service at Calvary Church, Bush street, Rev. W. A. Scott, D. D., and at ten minutes before 11 o'clock, they left the Exchange to the number of one hundred and fourteen, accompanied by Capt. Whitney, of the Howard's, Mr. Capprice, Second Assistant Engineer, the Secretary of the Department, and Mr. Hossefross, of the Monumental. Through the politeness of the trustees of the church eligible seats directly in front of the pulpit, were provided for the firemen; to which they were conducted by J. C. Beals, Esq. The men looked well, and presented quite a feature in the church. The services, were very impressive, and the beautiful prayer offered up to the Throne of Grace, for protection to the firemen from all casuality in the performance of their duty, was appreciated by those in whose behalf it was uttered. The sermon preached upon the occasion was excellent, and being historical in its character, was very interesting. At the close, Messrs. Whitney, Clarke, Hossefross, and Boruck, waited upon Dr. Scott in his study, and thanking him for his politeness, the manner in which he had alluded to the firemen, and for his eloquent sermon, took their leave.

On Sunday afternoon, the Eureka's, in company with the San Francisco Fire Department, attended the funeral of the lamented James McDonald, a member of St. Francis Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, after which they returned to their homes, and enjoyed themselves as their tastes and wishes dictated.

The Eureka's having decided to return to Stockton in the afternoon boat of Monday, much against the wishes of their hosts, who desired them to remain another day, preparations were made in the morning to that effect, and passage was secured for them on the steamer Urilda, Capt. Z. Clarke. At 1 o'clock the Eureka's assembled at the Exchange, and at ¼ before 2, marched to the Howard Engine House, where the Howard's, and large delegations from other companies were waiting to receive them. It having been whispered around, that a *great* present was to be made to Capt. Clark, by the Monumental Company, considerable interest was manifested to know what it consisted of, and when it was announced that the hour had arrived for the ceremony to take place, those present, marched up into the parlors of the Howard's, crowding them to suffocation. The meeting having been called to order, Mr. Hossefross stated that No. 6 was desirous of giving the Eureka's some evidence of esteem prior to their leaving for Stockton, that on account of his want of ability to do justice to the subject, he called upon Mr. Dyer, a member of No. 6, to present the same for No. 6. Mr. Dyer accordingly came forward, and after delivering a long and chaste address, handed over to Captain Clark on behalf of the Monumental's, a magnificant *tin* trumpet, of colossal proportions, appropriately decorated with raised work, and streaming with ribbons. The whole gotten up at an immense expense. The trumpet is 6 feet long, the bowl, 26 inches in diameter, and the mouth piece twelve inches long. The names of the designer and mannfacturer we have been unable to learn, as we understand they both did without so much as a sign, as soon as the trumpet was furnished. In consequence of Captain Clark's loss of voice, Mr. Vansycle was called upon to respond to the remarks of Mr. Dyer, which he did in a very felicitous manner; *brief*, witty, and to the point. At the conclusion of the ceremonies, a glass of wine was partaken of with No. 6. The line of march was then formed, and consisted of the Eureka Company, the officers of the Stockton Fire Department, Howard Engine Company, Delegates from Engine Companies 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, and 14, after this came the engine of the Eureka's, drawn by delegates from the above companies. Passing through Sansome to Sacramento street, to Montgomery, to Clay, to Kearny, to Washington; at the corner of the latter street and Montgomery, the procession halted so as to allow the Eureka's to receive the hospitalities of T. B. Parker, Esq., of the Bank Exchange, from thence they proceeded to the Urilda, marching through Washington street to Battery, to Jackson, stopping at the house of Pacific Engine Co. No. 8, when an elegant champagne lunch was prepared for them. After freely indulging in the edibles and drinkables, several speeches were made by those present, and at five minutes before 4 o'clock, the order was given to fall in, and the march was continued to Pacific wharf, where the steamer was waiting with steam up, ready to receive them. At this period a most ludicrous scene presented itself in the efforts of the Stockton and San Francisco Firemen to obtain some memento of each other prior to separating, and the interchange was not confined to fire equipments alone, but wearing apparel of all kinds, sizes, and descriptions found new owners under the most laughable circumstances. Not content with carrying of "hats, coats, belts, caps, figures, back-boards, side-boards, and leader-jackets," the Stockton boys carried off Assistant Engineer Capprice, Foreman F. E. R. Whitney, C. Walsh, Assistants Silverthorn, and Gough and others, conveying them prisoners to Stockton. Amid the roaring of Capt. John's Artillery, the music of the band and the cheers of the firemen, the Stockton boys bid good bye to San Francisco, leaving behind them impressions of the most favourable kind. Their visit has not only been a pleasant, but a beneficial one, nd the one disinterested act performed by them while here, proves that although bays, and rivers, mountains, and hills, valleys, and plains seperate us, that our hearts beat in unison for the interest of our cherished organizations. May it remain so now and for ever.

BROOKLYN.—From the Brooklyn *Eagle* we clip the following:—"We understand the Common Council will soon act upon the subject of altering the engines and other fire apparatus so as to unfit them for the railroad tracks. This has cost some money, and now, if they are re-altered, it will cost more money—say, perhaps, $10,000. This will be paying pretty dearly for an experiment. The argument urged for making the alteration is that practice of running on the railroads is dangerous to life and limb. So it is, if the proper care is not observed; and it is just as dangerous to run over the bare cobble-stones and through a crowded street, if those in charge of the apparatus are culpably imprudent. The machines are all of great weight, and difficult to drag. The tracks afford facilities for reaching the vicinity of a conflagration with comparative ease and in very short time; and we have no hesitancy in saying that much property has been saved in consequence of the expedition thus afforded. If the officers in charge of the machines exercise a proper control over their companies, they can at any time restrain them from running at a dangerous speed, and thus avoid collision; and we can, therefore, see no good reason why the authorities should go back to old fogy principles by compelling them to avoid the railroads. As long as there are tracks through our streets, so long will they be made available in some shape or other, and all laws prohibiting it we are inclined to believe, will be found impracticable. The only effectual remedy against accident would be to make those having charge of the apparatus at the time personally responsible before the courts.

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AND MILITARY GAZETTE.

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It would seem that the season for conflagrations has fully set in. It has in time past been a season of destruction and sorrow. Town after town has been swept away, some through carelessness, and others through the fiendish attrocity of villains. Now is the time of greatest danger. It is with us the season of high winds, and with the State at large, the time when everything in the shape of woodwork is dry and combustible. Too much care cannot be taken, even in this city, with fires. There are localities in this city, where, if a fire were once under way, it would puzzle even our well organized Department to wash it out.

The above from the *Chronicle* of Thursday, comes in very appropriately at this time. The journal in question, is right that the Fire Department of this city would be puzzled to subdue conflagrations occurring in certain localities. Let a fire of any magnitude occur in any portion of San Francisco, and the Department would be powerless, for it is without its greatest power, in not having a sufficiency of good reliable hose. We have endeavored to impress upon the minds of our citizens, the great importance of being well (even to extravagance,) supplied with perfect hose. We have accompanied the Chief Engineer in collecting subscriptions from door to door, for the purpose of obtaining the wherewithal to purchase the proper amount of hose to protect the property of the people. We have while being thus engaged, been compelled, in common with the Chief, to listen to the taunts and insults of those whose prejudices lead them to impugn our motives, and doubt our sincerity in the cause in which we were engaged, we did not "give up the ship," however, because we felt assured that the safety of the city depended upon our success, but we were not successful. We co-operated with Messrs. Rowe and Smith of the Pioneer Circus, in getting up a benefit, the proceeds of which were to go to purchase hose after the expenses were paid. That benefit came off on Saturday night last, and the receipts were $420,87, and the expenses were $500. We now are of the opinion that the limit to forbearance, which men sometimes school themselves to meet has been reached, and we are almost constrained to say that if the citizens care about the Department being placed in working order, let them purchase hose, if they do not, let the city burn, and let the citizens suffer—and when that does come to pass, don't let them say it could have been averted, and that the Chief Engineer and the officers of the Department should have done thus and so. They have had fair warning. For months past we have been constantly reminding them of the danger which surrounded them, and if disaster should ensue, we will have the consciousness of knowing that the officers of the Department, in common with ourselves, have not been derilect in performing the duty incumbent upon us as firemen.

### The Fire Department.

The members of the Department will bear in mind that every expense now attending the organization must be met by themselves. Steward's fees for care of the apparatus, cleaning, preserving and repairing hose, lights and fuel, and repairs of the apparatus. In the Consolidation Bill of Hawes, which is now looked upon as a blessing, but 'ere long will be viewed as a curse, but eight thousand dollars is allowed for the entire expenses of the Department per annum, in which is included the building, repairing and filling of cisterns. Under these circumstances the greatest economy will have to be observed by the different companies, otherwise they will be unable to meet their current expenses. We are perfectly well aware that it will be a burden upon many of them, but it is one they must submit to until the passage of a new law governing the Department, which will be some time in February next. Judging from the past expenses of the various companies, we should think that the total amount required for the support of the Department, in the most economical manner, will amount to $12,905, as follows:

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| Steward's fees, 17 Cos., $40 pr mo. 7 mos. | $4,760 |
| Light. " " $20 " " | 2,720 |
| Presv'e for hose, 14 " $12 50 " " | 1,225 |
| Repairs for " 14 " $12 50 " " | 1,225 |
| Incidental ex's, 17 " $25 " " | 2,975 |
| | $12,905 |

In the above statement the actual expenses of the Department are only enumerated. How these expenses are to be met, of course is no problem. The monthly receipts of the different companies will probably reach the sum of $850, or.

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| For 7 months | $5,850 |
| Expenses | 12,905 |
| Leaving a deficit of | $7,055 |

All of which must be paid by assessment levied upon individual members of the companies, averaging for each company, $415.

We present this matter to the calm, cool reflection of the citizens of this place, and ask them in all seriousness if it is right and fair, after all the firemen have done for the city, they should be taxed in the manner we have honestly set forth, to gratify the political ambition of one man?

### The Insurance Agents.

Were we in the place of any of those gentlemen, we would steadily refuse to issue any more policies of Insurance until the Fire Department was properly supplied with hose—and even now, should a fire occur, and the loss of property ensue, upon which they had insurance, from the rottenness of the present hose they would have good grounds to refuse to pay the amount insured, for there is not a Court of Law in the City of State that would mulct them in damages consequent upon such refusal. It would be downright robbery to compel the Insurance Agents to pay losses, when it is a well known fact, that the City and County, which is in duty bound to furnish them some protection for the amount of the capital they have involved, has made no provision for more than a year past to properly supply the Fire Department, with that which it actually requires to protect life and property. Let the Insurance Agents refuse to insure any more property until the people purchase hose for the Department, and we think that one or two fires accompanied by a heavy loss would have the desired effect. The idea that the Insurance Agents are to insure property to the amount of millions of dollars for a mere trifle of consideration, in comparison to the amount involved, and bear the entire expense of the Fire Department at the same time is supremely ridiculous, and none but a knave or a fool would entertain it. The Insurance Agents have always responded to the calls of the Firemen, the first refusal is yet to be made by any of them, they subscribed $2000 forthe purchaseof hose, and expected the citizens generally to subscribe, the amount was a princely one for them to make, but as to their paying $14,000, which is the total amount required, it is a farce to to suppose it for an instant. They have done all that reasonable men could consistently ask them to do, and the way for them to get even is; *To issue no more policies.*

### Night Schools.

The Board of Education, at their meeting on Thursday, concluded to establish a Night School for the benefit of those boys whose business pursuits through the day did not permit them to enjoy the benefits which other and more fortunate children were the possessors. The school is to commence on Monday night, in the basement of St. Mary's Cathedral, at the corner of California and Dupont, with Mr. Myrick and Mr. Leonard as teachers—the former being principal. We do not know either of the gentlemen, but we are informed by good authority that they are every way fitted for the position to which they have been appointed. We have felt somewhat interested in this matter, for the reason that we have freely mingled with the boys whose desires have been thus met. From them we understand that there are upwards of three hundred boys at the present time anxious to partake of the beneficial results which will flow from the establishment of the school in question. Those boys are all engaged in various capacities—in stores, banking houses, lawyers' offices, &c., and to go to school in the day time would bring about a loss of their situations, and be the means of depriving those depending upon many of their of the only means of support, for like all boys who have evinced the manly desire that they have to become educated, they have a higher and holier duty to perform in rendering assistance, from their own exertions to their relatives and friends. In regard to the matter of night schools, several excellently written communications have appeared in the journals of the day advocating the measure which has met with such success. Articles over the signatures of "Eaganus" and "Eagerness," written by Master Charles P. Eagan; "Minor," by Michael Brankin, and "The Bentonian Boy," by Master Dominick Verdinal, have done much towards bringing about the desired object, and to those are the boys greatly indebted for much of the interest aroused in their behalf. That incalculable good will arise from the "Night School," there can be no doubt, and we trust it will be conducted with the same spirit of liberality which characterises similar institutions in New York and elsewhere.

PRAISEWORTHY.—The proprietors of the Pioneer Circus gave the proceeds of last evening's performances in aid of the Fire Department, which at present stands much in need of funds to purchase new hose. Many appeals had been made to our citizens for pecuniary aid, but without success. In this act of disinterested generosity, Messrs. Rowe & Smith, of the Pioneer Circus, have shown themselves worthy the esteem and gratitude of our people.—The attendance was full, and the sum received will go a great way in purchasing the desired amount of hose.

The above is from the *Goiden Era* of Sunday last. We endorse the paragraph, down to the two concluding lines. We can't go "them ere," and for this reason, (we think it a good one.) The receipts of the Circus on the night in question, amounted to four hundred and twenty dollars and eighty-seven cents, and the expenses were five hundred dollars'; deduct the difference, and it leaves a debt of seventy-nine dollars and thirteen cents. How far does the *Era* think the sum received will go in purchasing the desired amount of hose.

TRANSFER OF MEMBERS.—Mr. Vreeland, delegate from Knickerbocker 5, at the meeting of the Board of Delegates, on Wednesday evening, introduced a resolution calling upon the Judiciary Committee to report upon the propriety and manner of transferring members from one company to another. We hope the Committee will report favorably upon the subject. Heretofore, a member desiring to leave one company and join another, has been compelled to lose the time intervening; and also, to procure a new certificate of membership, at an additional expense of two dollars. The latter is a hardship which should be removed, as the payment of the first certificate should be amply sufficient, where but a short period is allowed to elapse before the party resigning attaches himself to another company. Where parties are absent, or off the roll for a year or more, then it would be no more than right that they should take out a new certificate of membership, paying the amount required by law for the same.

SACRAMENTO.—The election for Engineers of the Fire Department, says the *Union*, will take place on the 1st Monday in August. Considerable interest is manifested as to the result, and the following have been spoken of as candidates: for Chief, Hiram Arents (present incumbent,) J. Sullivan and G. H. Brickman, of Engine Co. No. 1; Levi Wilsey, of Engine Co. No. 2; Joseph S. Friend, of Engine Co. No. 3; and J. C. Keenan, of Engine Co. No. 5. For Assistants, W. A. Kirby, of Engine Co. No. 1; P. Holland, of Engine Co. No. 2; and George Phyfer, of Engine Co. No. 6. It is reported that several of the companies have appointed committees to confer relative to the persons to be put forward on formal nominations.

Boys, don't caucus under any circumstances, but vote for whom you please, independent of all party, sect, or faction. This nominating candidates for office in the Fire Department, after the fashion of the political parties of the day, is an evil which should not be allowed to exist, and we sincerely trust that the Sacramento firemen will not put forward caucus nominees.

### Board of Delegates.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Delegates was held at their chambers, in the City Hall, on Wednesday evening last, July 9th, 1856, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

The President, Franklin L. Jones in the chair.

The Roll being called, the following gentlemen answered to their names:

Messrs. Wason, Zabriskie, Rand, Heydenfeldt, Boruck, Hixon, Vreeland, Hossefross, Sinton, Moore, McKendry, Thomas, Herbert, Simons, Brennan, Whalen, Reed, Plum, Mahony, Law.

*Absent*—McCarthy, Hunt, Titcomb, Walsh, Bluxome, Fitzpatrick, Buckley, Hoff, Finnegan, States, Berry, Cobb, Mailott.

The minutes of the adjourned stated meeting, June 18th, special meetings June 25th and July 2d, were read and adopted, after the minutes of June 25th were amended so as to particularise the precise position of the communication from Volunteer 7, which was withdrawn, it being all after the words "evidence to sustain our charge."

The Committee on Rules made no report, the committee not being full.

Mr. Mahony, from the Committee on Finance, said that the Committee had before them the report of the Treasurer of the Board; that he had examined his vouchers and find them all correct; that one bill, purporting to be signed by J. L. Van Bokkelen, was repudiated by that gentleman, as not having been signed by him.

The Secretary stated that the bill had been signed by himself, the reasons for which could be very easily explained to the Finance Committee.

The report of the Committee not being complete, and a question having arisen as to the payment of several bills against the Board for newspaper advertising.

Mr. Heydenfeldt of No. 3, offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Finance Committee have further time to report upon the bills now in their hands, and be authorized to send for persons and papers, and upon the reception of their report, the bills recognized as due, and ordered to paid by this Board, be signed by the President and Secretary, and presented to the Board of Supervisors for payment.

Mr. Hossefross offered a resolution, which was adopted, that the President and Secretary be appointed a Committee to wait upon the newspaper proprietors and find out what papers would insert the notices of the Board of Delegates gratuitously, and that the notices of the Board be published in no other papers.

Communication fron Knickerbocker 5, relative to expulsions from the company, and admission of new members, was received and placed on file.

An appeal from the decision of the above company in expelling L. R. Townsend from the same, was received, read, and referred to a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Reed, Zabriskie, and Thomas, to report upon at the next regular meeting of the Board.

Mr. Hossefross, offered a resolution which was adopted, that the Secretary be instructed to have placed in a conspicuous portion of the room of the Board, the names and members of the various Committees, and the business of whatever nature was before them.

Mr. Heydenfeldt, called up the report of the Committee in the case of J. C. B. Stanley.

Mr. Wason from that committee, stated they were not quite ready to report, as they were waiting for some important information relative to the matter. That all diligence was being used in regard to the matter. That the committee were desirous of obtaining the report of the Physicians on the same subject.

Mr. Sinton, offered a resolution which was adopted, that the committee on the case of Stanley be instructed to report at the next meeting of the Board.

A resolution, that the same committee wait upon the Board of Physicians and procure their report on Mr. Stanley's case, was adopted.

Communication from Crescent Engine Co. 10, relative to changes on the roll was received, read and ordered on file.

The Chair appointed E. B. Zabriskie delegate from No. 2, and E. B. Vreeland, delegate from No. 5, to fill the vacancies on the Committee on Rules, caused by the resignation from the Board of J. H. Kent and W. T. Hoffman.

Mr. Hossefross, from the lobbying Committee, reported that he had exerted himself to the utmost to induce the Common Council to recognize the bills of the Board, but it had been unavailing. That he was the only member left upon the committee and asked to be discharged.

The Committee, however, was granted further time, and R. H. Sinton and J. W. Whalen were appointed by the Chair to fill the vacancies upon the Committee.

Mr. Vreeland, of No. 5, offered a Resolution which was adopted, that the Judiciary Committee report at the next meeting of the Board, on the propriety of transferring members from one company to another, and the manner in which it should be done.

Mr. Boruck offered a resolution which was ruled out of order, that the Secretary of the Department be instructed to issue Diploma Certificates, to all those members upon the rolls of the Department, who came in prior to the 1st July.

On motion the Board adjourned.

LEADER COMMITTEE.—By the provisions of Horrid Hawes Consolidation Bill, the Fire Department is deprived of the services of stewards to keep the apparatus in order, and therefore committees of three from the individual members of several of the companies have been appointed to keep the apparatus clean from month to month. We have not the slightest doubt that had the author of the Consolidation Bill, though it would work, he would have compelled the Department to pay the entire expense of the organization and then levied a tax upon the members for the privilege. Bay the way, considering the vast amount of knowledge Hawes has on fire matters and his great popularity among the firemen, would'nt it be well to run him for Chief Engineer next year.

LAFAYETTE.—Considerable is being said regarding the appropriateness of celebrating the 100th birthday of Lafayette; and we are informed that several of the associations of the city, among them the "Pioneers," have signified their wish to take part in the ceremonies of the day. It would be an act of courtesy to the Lafayette Co., and also paying a just tribute to the memory of one who loved America, as did Lafayette, for the Fire Department to take some action in the matter, and we hope to see at the next meeting of the Board of Delegates, a movement made toward uniting with the French population and others in celebratiug the event. The affair will come off early in September.

TRIAL.—The engine of No. 5. of Sacramento, was tried on Tuesday night at the corner of 2d and J streets, and came up to the fullest expectations of her members. The State *Journal* says:—

> It throws water in a perfect deluge, and to this fact the street, all along 2d. from J to K, bore ample witness, for hours after the machine was dragged off. We cannot quote the number of feet reached by the various streams, but we heard old firemen, not members of the company, say that the working of every part of her was first rate for a new machine. She talked well, and will, when fully rigged and completely packed; be excelled by none. We can, full well, compliment the members upon their impromptu experiment, and from what we saw last night, shall expect to see some tall work from the "critter" when they shall have become a little better acquainted with her peculiarities.

SIX AND NINE.—We are glad to be enabled to announce that the little misunderstanding which existed between Monumental 6 and Vigilant 9, has been happily removed; and the members of those companies occupy their old position of friendship towards each other. The complaint which both had, was of a dropsical nature, and required but a little tapping to eradicate it entirely.

### The Eureka's at Home.

The Stockton *Argus* says:—The steamer Urilda arrived at a late hour yesterday morning, having on board, the members and guests of Eureka Engine Company. The booming of cannon, (that seemed to one just merging from a sound slumber, like the "note of preparation" for an earthquake,) echoed a *loud mouthed* welcome; and while the Band played a lively air as the boat drew near the landing, the Fire Department which had assembled upon the wharf, gave three times three hearty cheers in honor of the return of the Eurekas. The several companies, composed of Protection H. & L., Weber No. 1 and San Joaquin No. 3, having formed into procession, composed an escort of the Eurekas to their house on Hunter street. Despite the hard fought *battle* the "boys" have merged from, they proved as gallant a company as are usually brought together; and in their assorted uniform of a cape, belt, hat or some kind of memento, represented nearly every fire company in San Francisco! We observed "Tiger" capes, "Monumental," "Manhattan" and "California" hats, "Vigilant," "Volunteer," "Howard" and "Sansome" belts, together with sundry trophies highly prized, not so much for their intrinsic value, as the sentiment which accompanied them is to their possession. The Chief Engineer and Assistants, as also the Foreman of the Eurekas, were fully decorated with elegant belts and the various insignia of rank of the Fre Department. *That hat*, decorated by a white plume, which so becomingly graced the person of the Foreman of the Eurekas, was a special object of admiration, and at once placed him in the rank of honorable distinction! The *horn* of horns! should also be noticed. The Eurekas certainly did bring up with them a tremendous horn gaily decorated, which was the observed of all observers!

With the Eurekas, a number of members of San Francisco, arrived as guests. Their visit is spoken of in unmeasured terms of satisfaction, and will be long remembered as the most agreeable interchange of mutual good feeling and courtesy that ever took place in California.

The knidnapped San Francisco firemen returned yesterday morning from Stockton, delighted with the attention shown them, and every way gratified with their imprisonment.

YOUNG AMERICA.—At a semi-annual meeting of Young America Engine Co. No. 6, of Sacramento, held on Monday evening, the following gentlemen were elected officers and delegates for the ensuing term; Sylvester Marshall, Foreman; E. Kimball, First Assistant Foreman; George Phyfer, Second Assistant Foreman; H. S. Burgess, Secretary; Charles S. White, Treasurer; F. R. Folger and Sylvester Marshall, Delegates; R. M. Folger, Robert Robinson and Anson Perry, Trustees.

CAPTAIN MCDONALD.—The funeral of this lamented gentleman and honest officer took place on Sunday last, under the direction of the members of the St. Francis H. & L. Co. No. 1 of which he was one of the earliest members. As a man Capt. McD. was respected by all who knew him, and as an official in point of honesty and integrity he was second to none in the state. Very nearly the entire Fire Department attended his funeral.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF DELEGATES—On Rules—J. B. Moore, of No. 7, E. B. Zabriskie, of No. 2, and E. B. Vreeland, of No. 5.

On Finance—F. Mahony, of H. & L. 3, H. A. Cobb, of H. & L. 2, and D. C. McCarthy, of No. 1.

On Judiciary—Geo. H. Hossefross, of No. 6, E. P. Buckley, of No. 11, Elcan Heydenfeldt, of No. 3.

PROTEST.—We protest against the Sheriff or the Sheriff's Deputies making use of the Board of Delegates Room for the convenience of jurors. That room is kept in order with funds contributed by the firemen, and as the city and county do not pay anything for the support of the Department, it has no right to the apartment spoken of.

APPEALED.—Several of the members lately expelled from Knickerbocker 5, have appealed from the decision of the company to the Board of Delegates, and their appeals refferred to a committee for investigation. Great care and attention should be given such matters before finally reporting upon them.

MEETING.—The Committee on the case of L. R. Townsend, expelled from Knickerbocker Engine Co. No. 5, will meet at the Room of the Board of Delegates, City Hall, at 11 o'clock this morning. The Committee consists of, J. Sewall Reed, of No. 14, E. B. Zabriskie, of No. 2, G. H. Thomas, of No. 8.

CORRECTION.—The invitation to the Eureka's to partake of refreshments at the Bank Exchange was from Chief Engineer Nuttman, Assistants, Free and Devoe, and not from Mr. Parker, the latter gentleman, however, sent a copious supply of champagne to the Urilda, to be disposed of on the way to the slough.

MESSRS. ROWE AND SMITH.—The firemen are under many obligations to the generous hearted gentlemen whose names head this paragraph, and regret their kind intentions were not properly appreciated by the people for whose benefit they were to be applied. In this instance as far as relates to Messrs. R. & S. the will goes for the deed.

MASS MEETING.—A mass meeting is to be held to night, at 8 o'clock in front of Montgomery Block, for the purpose of obtaining an exeression of opinion of the people on the immediate resignation of the City and County officials.

WELCOME.—J. D. Brower, formerly foreman of Columbian Engine Company No. 11, and who has been out of the city for some time past, has again joined No. 11, and taken a place on the active roll.

OUTSIDE.—At the request of members of the Eureka and Howard Companies, we republish, on the outside, the account of the reception of the former, which appeared last week; together with other interesting reading matter, relative to the same and other subjects.

PROBLEM.—Mr. Van Syckle, of Stockton, when in the city, a few days since, gave the following, in alluding to the companies named; As 3 is to 6, so is 6 to 9; the product of which being a benefit to the whole Department.

DR. T. J. HOUPT.—A series of resolutions have been passed by Mutual H. & L. No. 1, of Sacramento, upon the death of Dr. T. J. Houpt, formerly a member of that company, and well known to many of the firemen of this city.

"DISTINGUISHING PROPRIETY."—The *True Californian* of Monday, in speaking of the firemen at Church, remarks that they behaved with *distinguishing propriety*. Explain yourselves gentlemen, for you certainly cannot suppose the firemen would behave "with anything else."

UNION MILLS.—The Union Mills, thirty miles from Marysville, were destroyed, by fire, on the 30th of June, together with 225,000 feet of lumber. Loss $30,000.

FOUND.—A vial directed to Captain W. B. Clark, Stockton. It will be forwarded to day, by Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.

YREKA.—A Hook and Ladder Company is shortly to be formed by the citizens of Yreka.

### Fires and Alarms for the week

July 8—2 A. M., Hall Bell alarm, second District; bright light from neighborhood of North Beach; entire Department out—no damage.

July 18—7½ P. M., simultaneous ringing of "California" and "Monumental" bells; portion of the department out; no damage—no fire.

FIRES.—Two disastrous fires have occurred during the past week, destroying partially "Placerville," and very nearly the whole of "Georgetown" involving a loss of property amounting to one and a quarter million of dollars. There were no fire apparatus in either place which could be made available. In Placerville the destruction of human life was terrible. The fire at that place was accidental, and while at Georgetown it was clearly the act of an incendiary. The people of both places should speedily organize an efficient Fire Department. One good stream of water in either place would have saved thousands of dollars worth of property.

IMPROVED FIRE ENGINE.—Messrs. Cowing, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., have patented a fire-engine, the prominent feature in the improvement relating to the manner of operating the pistons. The piston rods, instead of being made in one piece, are divided and jointed so as to form the well known taggle-joint. The taggles are connected by suitable levers to the brakes, and the whole apparatus thrown into a very compact form. The inventors allege that a fire-engine made on their plan will surpass, in power and ease of operation, any other machine of the same capacity; also, that when the pistons reach the point where the greatest force is required, the taggles are also straight, and that no more power is therefore needed at the end than at the beginning of the stroke.

WEBER NO. 1.—At the annual election of Weber Engine Co. No. 1, of Stockton, held on the 7th inst., the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year: Foreman, P. B. Mintzer; First Assistant, F. C. Andrew; Second Assistant, J. Adams; Treasurer, E. F. Jones; Secretary, Geo. H. Blake; Delegates to the Fire Department, F. C. Andrew, Aleret. Dennis, H. S. Sargent.

MAJOR ESTABROOK.—The dinner gotten up in honor of the Eureka's, at the American Exchange fully establishes the reputation of Major Estabrook as the prince of caterers. We never saw a table better provided, or laid out with more taste than upon that occasion.

MARYSVILLE.—At an election for officers of the Salamander Hook and Ladder Company of Marysville, held on Monday. The following gentlemen were selected—Foreman, Jacob Levy; First Assistant, Lewis Glassen; Second Assistant, Jules Worms; Treasurer, H. Videau; Secretary, Adolph Muhlendorff; Steward, D. Wieland.

KNICKERBOCKER 5.—The engine of Knickerbocker 5, of Sacramento, was sent up on Monday last, and was received on Tuesday. On the day that she is approved by the Fire and Water Committee the boys intend to have a parade and a dinner.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—A benefit is to be given to Vigilant Engine Co. No. 9, on Monday evening next, at the Amerìean Theatre, by the Sisters Gougenheim. The company for whose assistance the entertainment is to be given, is one of the very best in the Department; it has a large section of the city to protect, and the members faithfully fulfill their trust. From the character of the performances and the talent of the performers, we think there can be no doubt that the house will present a splendid array of the beauty and fashion of the city, on Monday night.

METROPOLITAN THEATRE.—Mrs. Julia Dean Hayne is performing at the Metropolitan Tneatre. To night she appears as "Bianca', in the Tragedy of 'Fazio."

UNION THEATRE.—Mr. McKean Buchanan the eminent American Tragedian commences a farewell engagement at the Union Theatre, prior to his departure for Australia. The play selected for the evening is Richeelieu, one of Mr. B's most celebrated characters.

SAN FRANCISCO HALL.—The Minstrels have been doing a splendid business since their opening; so crowded have been the houses that after the commencement of the concert it has been impossible to procure a seat. As usual a large number of ladies are nightly in attendance.

AMERICAN BAND.—This band, under the leadership of Mr. Wolcot, is we consider the very best in the state. The members of it are excellent musicians and accommodating gentlemen, and we most cheerfully reccommend them to the Fire Department and the public generally.

### Business Notices.

**S. P. Wightman, No. 62 Washington** Market, offers for sale Pajaro Butter, Oregon Butter, Firkin Butter, California Cheese, Oregon Hams, Eastern Hams, Salt Pork, Lard, California Malt, etc., etc.

THE "PHŒNIX."—Is the name of a new saloon just opened at 150 Montgomery street, by Messrs. Conners and Dorning. The bar is stocked with the best of liquors, and a fine reading room is also attached to the place.

HYDROPATHY.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Dr. Bourne the proprietor of the Water Cure establishment, at the corner of Sansome and Commercial streets. Contrary to the implied rule the Doctor's is an establishment where are entirely cured all the ills that flesh is heir to.

DRUGS, &c.—Sam'l. Adams, Druggist, at the corner of Clay and Dupont streets, has on hand a full assortment of drugs of the purest quality. His celebrated German Tonic, and Aromatic Bitters, for diseases of the stomach and digestive organs, enjoy a world wide reputation.

REMOVAL.—Geo. W. Chapin & Co.'s General Agency and Employment Office has been removed to the N. E. corner of Clay and Kearny streets, and is under the supervision of the Young Men's Christian Association.

ST. FRANCIS TRUCK HOUSE,
July 7th, 1945.

AT A MEETING of the St. Francis Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, held this evening, the following was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By the dispensation of a righteous God, we have been deprived by death of our true beloved brother, Capt. James McDonald; be it, therefore,

Resolved, That while we lament his loss as a brother, yet we cannot murmur at the will of Him who has chosen to call our companion to "that bourne from whence no traveller returns."

Resolved, That in the death of Capt. James McDonald, this company has lost one of its earliest and most devoted members, the city one of its well tried and most faithful officers.

Resolved, That as a token of respect to the memo of the deceased, the members of this company will wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That the Secretary be requested to transmit a copy of the above to the relatives of the deceased, and that they be published in the papers of this city.

H. BARROILHETT,
Secretary.

**At a Meeting of Howard Engine Co. No. 3;**—held Friday evenin, July 11th, Henry C Osborn was dishonorably discharged, for non-payment of Fines and Dues and total neglect of duty.

PLINY M. WHITNEY, Secretary

## METROPOLITAN THEATRE.

PROPRIETOR & MANAGER....MR. JOHN TORRENCE
STAGE MANAGER .... ......MR GEO RYER

BENEFIT OF
MRS. JULIA DEAN HAYNE,
who will appear in her great unrivalled character
**Bianca.**

**Saturday Evening, July 12th, 1856.**
Will be presented the popular Tragedy of
**FAZIO;**
**OR, THE ITALIAN WIFE.**

Bianca......................Mrs. JULIA DEAN HAYNE.
Fazio......................Mr. C. POPE.

**Grand Overture,.........by.........the Orchestra.**
To conclude with the Petite Comedy entitled the
**Little Treasure.**

Maydenblush..........................Mr. BARRY
Mrs. Meddleton..........................Mrs. Judah

PRICES OF ADMISSION:—Dress Circle and Parquette. $1; Orchestra Boxes, $2; Private Boxes, $6 to $15. Second and Third Tiers, 50c.

Free List, with the exception of the Press, is suspended. Doors open at 7—Performances will commence at 8 o'clock, precisely.
Children in arms not admitted. jy12

## UNION THEATRE.

Stage Manager.......................Mr. J. B. BOOTH.
Acting Manager......................Mr. A. R. PHELPS.

The Eminent American Tragedian
McKEAN BUCHANAN,
has been engaged and will appear in his great character of
**RICHELIEU.**
**Saturday Evening, July 12, 1856,**
The performances will commence with the celebrated Play, in 5 acts, of
**Richelieu;**
OR, THE CONSPIRACY.

Cardinal Richelieu..............Mr McKEAN BUCHANAN
Adrian de Mauprat..............Mr Phelps
Julie de Mortimar..............Mrs Woodward

To conclude with the Farce of
**The Dumb Belle.**

Capt Vivian..........................Mr Leaman

Prices of Admission—Boxes $1; Pit 50c., Gallery 25c; Private Boxes, $6 to $10. Doors open at 7 and Performances commence at a quarter to 8 jy12

## SAN FRANCISCO HALL,

WASHINGTON, BETWEEN MONTGOMERY AND KEARNY STS
T MAGUIRE..................PROPRIETOR
S. A. WELLS..................STAGE MANAGER.
MAX ZORER..................MUSICAL DIRECTOR.

**DOUBLE ATTRACTION.**

The Manager has succeeded, at great expense, in securing the services of the favorite Artists—
S. C. CAMPBELL, C BACKUS
AND JERRY BRYANT,
OF THE
**BACKUS MINSTRELS,**
In conjunction the popular favorites,
**The San Francisco Minstrels,**
BILLY BIRCH, SAM WELLS, NED DEAVES, M. LEWIS, MAX ZORER, COES, LOTHIAN, HENRY, CORRISTER, etc.
..The whole combination making..
**The Largest and most Versatile Company in the World.**

Prices of Admission:—Dress Circle, $1; Parquette, 50c; Orchestra Seats $1. Private Boxes, $2.
Time:—Doors open at 7 o'clock—Curtain rises at 8½.
Box Office open from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 P. M. when seats may be secured. jy5

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**SEA BATHS! SEA BATHS!**
**Russian Steam Baths and Mineral Baths,**
ON MEIGGS' WHARF,

THE FIRST AND ONLY COLD AND WARM SALT WATER BATHS, on the Pacific Coast, are now opened to the public in the beautiful large building on Meiggs' Wharf, North Beach. The construction of the natural Sea Water Baths surpasses every establishment of this kind. It affords not only the fullest security, but excludes the disagreeable draughts of the winds, and leaves full action of the waves, which is the principal necessity of sea bathing; thus rendering the privilege of the ocean not only to the strong, but also to the feeble. The Warm Sea Baths are constructed in the finest possible style, and every Bath furnished with a strong douche, so desirable to produce a reaction of the skin. Both Baths are highly recommended to invalids suffering with colds, rheumatism, chronic diseases and those calamities which a change of climate inflicts upon the human system. **The Russian Steam Bath**, long renowned in the world as the only sure specific against colds is put up with the greatest convenience and the newest improvements, and this with the strong power-douche of Sea Water, renders it preferable to every other construction in this branch. Using Fresh Water for douche often increases the cold, and adds new pains to those felt before applying steam.

Ladies and Gentlemen patronizing us will find neatly furnished parlors, where every attention will be paid; and to bathers the utmost care will be rendered by polite female and male attendants. Omnibuses running from Rincon Point to our establishment will offer every facility and convenience of arrival and the picturesque situation will render the trip the more pleasant. Invalids from abroad calling upon us, will have the best opportunity of taking a complete Bath-cure; a series of splendidly furnished rooms, commanding a fine view, are kept solely for our patrons. Skillful Physicians and faithful servants will attend those who seek relief in our establishment. To respond to every call we furnish Sulphur and other Mineral Baths for a speedy and complete cure.

To keep pace with the times, and to deserve attention and the patronage of the public, we charge the lowest possible prices.

The great utility of this enterprise as well as the advantages offered by the proprietors, will convince every body that it should be sustained for the good of mankind. Therefore, Ladies and Gentlemen of San Francisco, and of the State of California, give us your favor and patronize the SEA BATHS of DR. BRUNS & CO.
jy12 3m Meiggs' Wharf, North Beach.

## The Watermelon Patch.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Proprietors of the celebrated
WATERMELON PATCH,
**Corner of East and Commercial Streets,**
Beg to inform their Friends and the Public that they are once again on hand at their "Patch" with a full supply of CHOICE FRUITS and VEGETABLES, received daily from the Valleys. Those wishing to obtain fine and delicious
WATERMELONS,
BANNANAS,
ORANGES,
APPLES,
PEARS,
PEACHES &c.,
Are advised to call at the "patch" before going elsewhere.
E. H. FLYNN & CO.
N. B.—Orders promptly and politely attended to
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## NEWS DEPOT
AND
**Book Bindery.**

The undersigned having established themselves at No. 78 Montgomery street, between California and Pine, will keep constantly on hand
**All the Steamer Papers,**
AS WELL AS
**Atlantic and European Papers, Magazines, etc.,**
of every description. They will also carry on the business of BOOKBINDING, REPAIRING, LETTERING, &c. Their work will be done with Neatness and Dispatch.
Subscribers to Foreign Papers and Magazines served at their residences.
jy8-3m WESTALL & ANDREWS.

## REMOVAL.
**The Agency**
OF THE
NICARAGUA STEAMSHIP CO.
IS REMOVED
TO SECOND FLOOR OF THE BUILDING ON THE
**S. W. Corner Washington and Battery sts.**
ENTRANCE ON WASHINGTON STREET,
jy12-2t Opposite the Custom House.

## CARD.

HAVING NOTICED in last Evening's BULLETIN an article headed "MUSHROOM COFFEE HOUSE," I take the present opportunity of stating to the public that I consider the above card a SLANDER, and as I am a member of the V. C, I wish all my friends that consider the DIAMOND a "mushroom coffee house" to give all their support to the Fem. which every one knows to be Law and Order in principle and V. C. in pocket, and as long as my house is paid for (if I have not made $7,000 in the last six weeks) it's no one's business. Like Henry Clay's mouth the DIAMOND speaks for itself. Call and see me, as I do not intend to leave for Europe in the next steamer.
jy 2-1m SAMUEL L. STANLEY.

## DR. LORENZO HUBBARD,
**Office in Waverly Court—Entrance on Washington street,**
Between Nos. 228 and 230, above Dupont street,
**ALL DISEASES OF THE EYE TREATED**
A large and superior assortment of ARTIFICIAL EYES kept constantly on hand, and inserted at reasonable rates. jy12-tf

# The Military Gazette

## AND FIREMAN'S JOURNAL.

SAN FRANCISCO

SATURDAY MORNING, July 5, 1856.

### The Military

But very little is doing, at the present time, in Military affairs. The Independent companies continue to drill nightly at their amories, and are rapidly advancing in perfection and drill. The armory of the First Infantry Battalion, at the corner of Clay and Kearny streets, has been fitted up and partially put in order, and is occupied by the San Francisco Blues, Marion Rifles and Continental Guard.

INDEPENDENT BATTALION.—We have every assurance that in August, steps will be taken to organize an Independent Battalion, to be composed of the already existing Infantry companies, and one or two others which will be formed by that time.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**A. MASSEY & CO.,**
GENERAL
**Undertaking & Furnishing**
ESTABLISHMENT.
**161 Sacramento Street,**
(two doors below Kearny)

Have always on hand a large assortment of LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, and are prepared at all times to disinter bodies and prepare them so that they can be forwarded to any part of the world without danger of further decomposition.

They are always prepared to attend to Funerals with promptness and dispatch.

**FISK'S PATENT METALLIC BURIAL CASES**
**And Corpse Preservers,**

We have received the right of sale of Fisk's Patent Metallic Burial Cases, and are prepared to furnish them to Undertakers and others at a small advance upon cost price in the Atlantic States. The advantages claimed by the use of Fisk's Patent Metallic Coffins for preserving the dead, over all others now in use, are: First, that they necessarily cost very little over the price charged for coffins made of the ordinary woods, and that the manner of using them is so simple that any person can do so by following the directions which accompany each Case; And, lastly, because they answer the purposes they were originally intended or designed for, viz: the preservation of the human body from decomposition after death, so that it can be forwarded to any part of the world with safety, allowing sufficient time to gratify surviving friends who may be absent, and thereby enabling them to take the last fond look of the dead, without offending the most delicate or sensitive. We have witnessed the preservative properties of these Coffins a number of times in cases where it became necessary to convey the corpse to a distance, and never, in a single instance have we known them to fail in all that has been claimed for them. Being perfectly air-tight, the body once placed in them retains its natural appearance, without disturbing or disfiguring it in the least and will remain so for a number of years, if proper care is taken so as to prevent the case from getting broke. And we further state that it is only necessary to give them a trial in order to satisfy the most skeptical.

A. MASSEY
JAMES GALLAGHER,
Undertakers and General Furnishers,
jy12-3m 161 Sacramento street, San Francisco.

**"DAN,"**
**FORMERLY OF "CLAYTON'S,"**
AND LATELY OF THE "ALBION,"

Respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has opened, on Montgomery street, the SALOON known as the "BLUE WING,"

Where the choicest
*WINES, LIQUORS AND OYSTERS,*
**Served up in Every Style,**
MAY AT ALL TIMES BE PROCURED.

He has spared no pains or expense in fitting up his establishment in a comfortable and convenient manner.

jy12-3m DANIEL DRISCOLL.

**NORTHERN ASSURANCE CO.**

LONDON, May 16th, 1856

MESSRS. SMITH, BROTHERS & CO., San Francisco—Dear Sirs: I have to acquaint you that all Fire Policies issued by this Company will now include the risk of **Explosion occasioned by Gas,** without extra premium, of which please to inform the insured in your Agency.

As the risk in question has been adopted as a general principle by the Directors of the Company, it will not be necessary to make special endorsements to that effect on our policies, and in availing myself of this opportunity to solicit the continuance of your exertions on our behalf,

I remain, dear sirs, yours truly,
A. P. FLETCHER, London,
jy12 2m Secretary Northern Assurance Co.

**SPERRY & CO.,**
**MANUFACTURERS & IMPORTERS OF**
**CLOCKS,**
**No. 157 Montgomery st, (opposite Montgomery Block, San Francisco.)**

We are constantly receiving direct from our manufactory, Clocks of all kinds for Towers, Churches, Halls, Banks, Offices, Watch Makers' Regulators, etc.; also, from all the principal manufacturers in the Eastern States, all kinds of Lever, Mantel, Pendulum, Alarm Clocks and Time Pieces, which we sell for cash at

NEW YORK PRICES.

☞ Dealers will find it much to their advantage to call and examine for themselves jy12-6m

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NO. 85 SACRAMENTO STREET
IMPORTERS OF
**WATCHES, DIAMONDS,**
AND
**FINE JEWELRY,**
ALSO,
**SILVER AND SILVER PLATED WARE,**
AND
**A General Assortment of Fancy Goods,**
SUITED TO THE JEWELRY TRADE
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**GEO. W. CHAPIN & CO.,**
**General Agency and Employment Office,**
Under the supervision of the Young Men's Christian Association, San Francisco;

Find Employment for all kinds of HELP—House Servants, Cooks, Seamstresses, Grooms, Coachmen, Farm Hands, Day Laborers, Mechanics, Clerks, Teachers, etc, Chinese Cooks and Laborers supplied.

Bills collected, Houses rented, Loans negotiated. Orders from the country attended to, &c. All business entrusted to our care will receive prompt attention.

**Goods Bought on Commission.**
REFER TO
W. G. BADGER, President Y. M. C. Association.
E. W. PLAYTER, Secretary.
**N. E. Cor. Clay and Kearny sts.** jy12 3m

**NOTICE.**
**CHAS. SMITH & THOS. GIBSON,**
**CATERERS,**

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Ladies and Gentlemen of San Francisco that they have taken a room in the El Dorado Building, Kearny st, corner of Washington, where, in connection with their Catering and serving Notices for Weddings and Parties, they will attend to Whitewashing, Wall Coloring and House Cleaning. Jobbing of all kinds will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Waiting and Cooking for Parties strictly attended to. jy12-3m

**Old Plaza Employment Office,**
COMMISSION AND GENERAL AGENCY

Kearny st, lower side of Plaza, 4 doors South of Merchant st, up stairs, San Francisco, late LONG & CO.

HELP of all kinds procured at the shortest notice.—Particular attention paid to furnishing private families with Help. Orders from the country promptly attended to. (jy12 3m) J. L. FARREL.

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Private Families furnished with the best of help, free of charge.

*Orders from the country promptly attended to.*

Those wishing situations of any kind will be supplied by calling at our office.

jy12-3m MRS. E. SINCLAIR & CO.

**DANIEL WINTER,**
**House, Sign, Ship and Ornamental**
**PAINTER,**
77 Jackson street, between Front and Battery
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☞ Glazing, Paper Hanging, Imitations of Wood, Marble &c., neatly executed. Terms reasonable

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RICH, and at the regular New York prices Now selling by BRIGGS, DEY & CO.,
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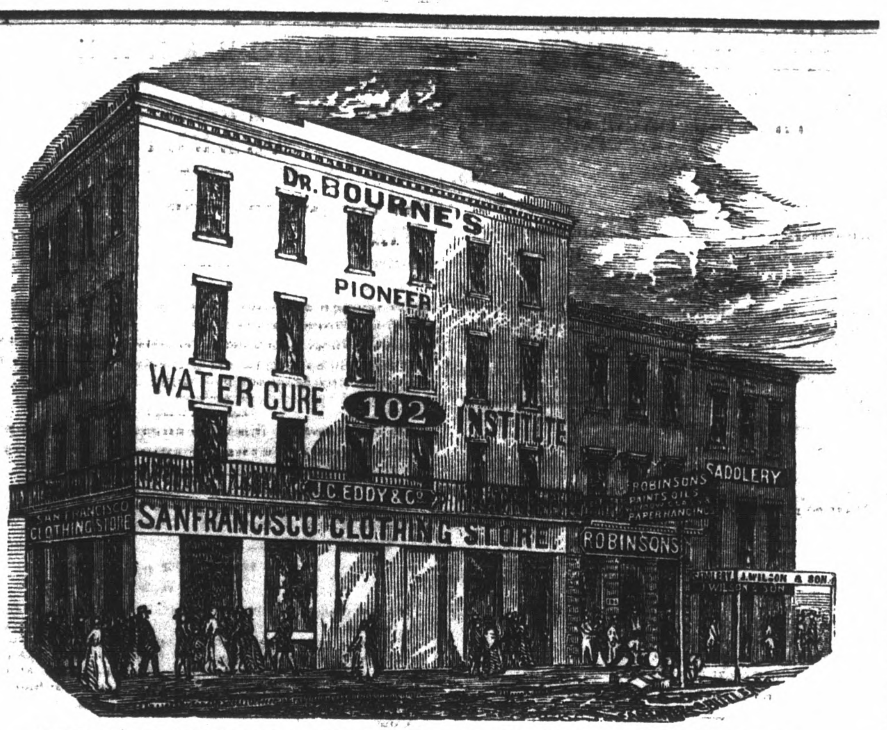

# ELECTRO CHEMICAL BATHS.

The recent discovery of a really wonderful and most beneficent method of applying electricity for the removal from the human system of Mercury in all its forms, iron, zinc, lead, antimony, arsenic, quinine, and all other metals, minerals and insidious drugs, and the consequent speedy cure of

**Paralysis, Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Painter's Colic and Lame Wrist, Indolent Ulcers, Jaundice, Fever and Ague, Diseased Liver, Diseased Kidneys, Tic Doloreux, and all Nervous Affections,**

Is termed as above. The cure is almost immediate. These Baths produce the most gratifying and delightful sensations without shock or disagreeable disturbance of the system. Those who have been without hope for months or years—those who are neither dead nor alive—those who feel cold and torpid—those who know they are "full of mercury," iron, and wish to have it "taken out" of them—all, all—will take these Electro-Chemical Baths. The Ladies will find them of inestimable value, as in removing diseased conditions, they render the skin clear, soft and smoother. A competent lady will attend to them.

DR BOURNE, Water Cure Physician, corner Sansome and Commercial streets, opposite St. Nicholas Hotel, has just imported and arranged the FIRST and ONLY apparatus for administering these delightful Baths, and is now prepared to employ them in all cases of Paralysis, Stiff Joints, Rheumatism, Fever and Ague, (only one Bath is said to be requisite.) Jaundice, Neuralgia, etc., etc.

## PIONEER WATER CURE INSTITUE,

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## DR. BOURNE,

**Water Cure Physician,**

Having every facility for the scientific administration of Water Treatment, offers the advantages of this natural, rational, and most efficacious mode of curing diseases to invalids, in either acute or chronic stages of suffering, and especially to those laboring under the

RUINOUS EFFECTS OF CALOMEL,

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There are no nauseous or poisonous medicines to swallow or pay for, as DR. BOURNE does not administer any whatever, nor bleed, cup or leech: so it is not only the BEST but CHEAPEST system for restoration of health

☞ In Chronic or Acute Rheumatism, Diarrhœa, Dyspepsia, Fever and Ague, Isthmus Fever, ALL Nervous and Sexual disorder—in fact, in all cases, the WATER CURE is of UNEQUALLED VALUE.

Apply personally, or address by letter, as above

Office hours—10 A M, to 1 P M and after 7 P M.

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The "Russian," Digger Indian! Turkish, or Egyptian "Steam Baths,"—the invention of barbaric minds,—with all their EVIL CONSEQUENCES to Weak Lungs, Palpitating Hearts, and debilitated Digestive and Nutritive Organs, are NOT Water Cure, and bear no more resemblance to that glorious system than does a horse to a red herring, notwithstanding all the false representations to that effect DR BOURNE is the Pioneer and only Water Cure Physician on the Pacific Coast, and is daily demonstrating his skill in his art with the highest success—curing those whom the medical fraternity had placed almost beyond the confines of hope: such being the general character of the cases demanding and receiving relief at his hands. Let them continue to come and be HEALED, and converted to this wiser and better way. jy5.3m

SAN FRANCISCO
**BATHS AND SHAVING**
*SALOON.*
**No. 180 Washington Street.**

The undersigned begs leave to inform his former patrons and the public that he has recently Refitted and Newly Furnished the above establishment, and is now prepared to give entire satisfaction to those who desire a CLEAN SHAVE and a LUXURIOUS BATH.

Ladies' Entrance on Maiden Lane.

**Baths, 50 cts.; 12 Tickets, $5.**

jy12 3m J GRIEF, Proprietor.

**"THE PHŒNIX"**

BURTON ALE HOUSE, No. 150 Montgomery street, between Clay and Merchant.

CONNERS & DORNING..............PROPRIETORS.

This house was opened by the present proprietors on Thursday June 26th, and they would now inform their friends and the public that LIQUORS, WINES and ALES of the best quality will always be kept on hand; also, a good substantial

**LUNCH AT ALL HOURS.**

CONNERS & DORNING are still the proprietors of the **Fireman's Hall,** Jackson street, between Kearny st and the International Hotel, which will be in future, as it has been, as good as any Ale House in the city.

☞ Liquors of all kinds sold in both the above-named houses by the cask, gallon or bottle and at **12 1-2 cts per glass.** jy12-3m

INTERNATIONAL
**BILLIARD SALOON.**

WILLIAM W. HANEY takes this method of informing his friends and the public that he has leased that elegant three-story Fire-proof Brick Building, No 180 JACKSON ST., one door above the International Hotel.

The BILLIARD SALOON, which is on the first floor, contains FOUR Billiard Tables, with Slate Beds and Rubber Cushions, admitted by billiard players to be superior to any now in use in this city. In the Second and Third Stories there are twenty-six ROOMS, all handsomely furnished, which will be LET by the Month, Week, or Single Night. The Bar and Billiard Tables will be under the immediate supervision of WM. W. HANEY, long and favorably known in this city jy12 4

**CAFE FRANKLIN.**
**FRENCH COFFEE SALOON,**
KEPT BY MME. LENEL & CO.,
**Commercial Street, near Kearny,**
*Billiards*..........................*Drinks*, 12½ *cents*
CALIFORNIA AND EUROPEAN PAPERS.
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**WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,**
**No. 157 Montgomery street,**
San Francisco jy12-3m

**OPERA! OPERA!**

ELIPTIC, OPERA AND MARINE GLASSES—A fine article—just come to hand per steamer JOHN L. STEPHENS,

BRIGGS, DEY & CO., Jewelers.
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A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT—
For sale by BRIGGS, DEY & CO,
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**WATCHES! WATCHES!**

BY all of the celebrated makers—in every style and variety of case and movement. To be had of
BRIGGS, DEY & CO.,
Jewelers,
jy12 121 Montgomery street, cor. Sacramento.

**FOR SALE.**

20,000 LBS. LULU FOR SALE—Better than any before brought to this market.

For sale cheap by JACOB SCHRIEBER,
jy5-1m 179 Jackson st, 3 doors below Kearny.

**$10 REWARD.**

LOST—From the Pennsylvania Hose Carriage, at the fire foot of Stockton street, Sunday morning, June 15th, a German Silver Torch, on which was the inscription "Pennsylvania Fire Co. No. 2." The above named reward will be paid to the finder, on returning it to the Clerk's Office of the Superior Court, City Hall. je28 tf

**RAILROAD HOTEL,**
COMMERCIAL AND CLAY STREETS,
San Francisco.
**SPACIOUS FIRE-PROOF BUILDING,**

LODGINGS—50 cts, 75 cts, and $1. BOARD—37 cts, to $3 per Day
jy5 3m

**JOHN G. COLEMAN,**
The Old
**PIONEER CARVER & GILDER,**
No. 81½ Merchant st, just below the Bulletin office

Particular attention paid to Gilding and restoring old paintings.

☞ Call and examine specimens. jy5-1m

**DR. E. S. ALDRICH,**
**PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,**

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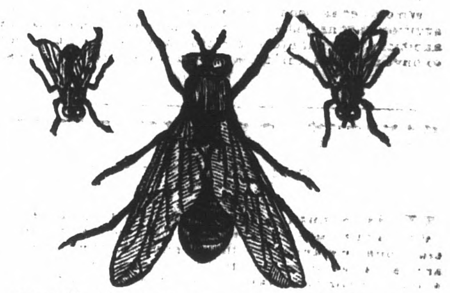

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Avails himself of the present occasion to add that the House has been thoroughly painted, and otherwise improved by alterations and new Furniture, that he is not unmindful of the patronage received from the State and those visiting our shores. Relying upon the public and and community for support, and assured that success depends upon well directed efforts to procure at all times the best the market affords, (in order to satisfy the wants of his guests,) he will endeavor to make this a prominent object, and make the Exchange the best and most popular Hotel in the State.

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### A CHALLENGE!

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| SOUPS. | | | |
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| Boiled Bass | 12 | Baked Salmon | 12 |
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| Mutton, Caper sauce | 25 | Corned Beef & cabbage | 12 |
| Ham | 12 | Pork | 12 |
| ROASTS. | | | |
| Teef | 12 | Turkey | 50 |
| Veal | 12 | Goose | 25 |
| Pork | 12 | Duck | 25 |
| Mutton | 12 | | |
| ENTREES. | | | |
| Baked Pork & Beans | 12 | Stewed Tripe | 12 |
| Baked Beef steak pie | 12 | Beef Hash | 12 |
| Veal Pot Pie | 12 | Fish Balls | 12 |
| VEGETABLES. | | | |
| Potatoes Fried, Baked, Boiled and Mashed | 12 | | |
| Turnips mashep | 12 | Cabbage | 12 |
| Onions Fried | 12 | | |
| PUDDINGS. | | | |
| Bread | 12 | Plum | 12 |
| Rice | 12 | | |
| PIES. | | | |
| Mince | 12 | Cherry | 12 |
| Apple | 12 | Rhubarb | 12 |
| Peach | 12 | Pumpkin | 12 |
| Plum | 12 | Custard | 12 |
| Whortleberry | 12 | Cup Custard | 12 |
| Gooseberry | 12 | Tarts | 12 |
| CAKES. | | | |
| Plain Pound Cake | 12 | Boston Cream Cake | 25 |
| Jelly Cake | 12 | Macaroons | 12 |
| Cup Cake | 12 | Ladies' Fingers | 12 |
| Domestic Cake | 12 | Sponge Cake | 12 |
| Jumbles | 12 | Lady Cake | 12 |
| Sugar Cake | 12 | Citron Cake | 12 |
| Ginger Nuts | 12 | Currant Cake | 12 |
| Molasses Pound Cake | 12 | Ginger Snaps | 12 |
| Dough Nuts | 12 | Crullers | 12 |
| BREAD, ROLLS, ETC. | | | |
| Hot English Muffins | 25 | | |
| Hot Waffles | 25 | | |
| Breakfast Rolls | 12 | Bread and Milk | 12 |
| French do | 12 | Mush and Milk | 12 |
| Tea Biscuit | 12 | Plate of Mush | 12 |
| Brown Bread | 12 | Graham Bread | 12 |
| Wheat do | 12 | Soda Biscuit | 12 |
| Coffee, Tea or Chocolate | 12 | | |
| TO ORDER. | | | |
| Porter House Steak | 50 | Ham and Eggs | 37 |
| Tender Loin | 37 | Omelette | 20 |
| Beef steak plain | 25 | Eggs, boil'd or fried each | 15 |
| Pork do do | 25 | Oyster stew | 52 |
| Veal Cutlet | 25 | Oyster fritters | 50 |
| Mutton Chop | 25 | Buckwheat Cakes | 12 |
| Sausage fried | 25 | Brown Bread Toast | 12 |
| Liver sausage | 12 | Graham Toast | 12 |
| Ham broiled or fried | 12 | Dipped do | 12 |
| Tripe fried | 25 | Milk do | 12 |
| Mackerel, boiled or broi'd | 25 | Dry do | 12 |
| Fried mush | 12 | | |

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Personally appeared Walter D. Richards, one of the aforesaid firm of I D Richards & Sons, and acknowledged the above instrument, in behalf said firm, to be their free act and deed.

SAM COOPER,
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